MARKET STREET THE **SCENE OF WAR**

All Day Disturbances in Principal Business Thoroughfare of Philadelphia.

POLICEMEN WERE ROUGHLY HANDLED

By a Mob of Several Thousand Strike Sympathizers-Muskets Snatched from Hands of Young Militiamen -Mob Ignored Drawn Bayonets-One Member of the Fencibles Beaten and Stripped of His Uniform.

nothing to say regarding thai phase of the situation.

295 CARS DEMOLISHED

IN YESTERDAY'S RIOTING.

Transportation of Mail Can No Longe

CHICAGO'S NEW LIQUOR ORDER

Chicago, Feb. 22.—Leroy T. Stew-ard, chief of police, has issued an or-der saying: "Permit no sale of liquor after May 1 in any place where women

Philadelphia, Feb. 22.—Three boys cere shot and probably fatally injurd, while several received less severe counds, today in riots which followed he resumption of service by the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company. The hooting occurred in attacks on cars the northeastern section.

Market Street Cars Stoned.

President Murphy of the Central La-bor union still regards a general strike of all trade unions in the city as inev-tiable, though Organizer Pratt is re-ported to be opposing this move. A delegation of labor leaders left for Washington today to ask Sengator Pennington today to ask Senator Pen-to use his influence for a peace-solution of the trouble.

State Fencibles Consider It a Picnic. dembers of the State Fencibles, an dembers of the State Fencibles, an dependent military organization, but 200 strong, were placed on duty day, armed with loaded muskets, ey were detailed in the Kensington district in the mortheast, which is hotbed of union sympathizers. In first skirmish they were badly beatby a moh, who paid no attention to drawn bayonets and snatched the skets from the hands of the young litiamen. Members of the State will be according to Mayor Rev-Be Assured.

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An official of the company said tocentral Labor union, in sympathy with
the striking street railway employes.
It is claimed that between 75,000 and
38,000 men will respond to the call.
The Central Labor union claims a
membership of 100,000. Whether the
strike order will be obeyed cannot yet
to told.

Union Organizer-Held in \$3,000 Bail.

Mr. Murphy could hardly contain his
indigination today against the city oflors in taking the national organizer.

IMMIGRANTS IN PANIC

Scattering of Disinfectants in Corridors Created a Stampede.

Police Chief Forbids Sale of Drinks
Where Women Congregate.

Early every morning the night force in the immigration quarters spreads a powerful disinfectant. This time the sprinklers reached the second floor on the northwest portion of the building shortly after four o'clock. The strong odor penetrated the big room containing the 198 Italians. Those whom it awakened thought there was a fire, and their cries aroused every one in the compartment. All the windows were barred with heavy wire netting and the immigrants tried vainly to get through them.

The employes on the outside endeavored to quiet the Italians, but were managenessful. Finally, the immigrants and the screening of one window, and a man pushed his arm through the state in the door. His forearm was badly cut, and the sight of the blood added to the excitement. In the meantime, word was telephoned about the various buildings on the island.

meantime word was telephoned about the various buildings on the island, and every available employe was sent to the corridor and detention room. The Italians continued fighting to es-cape until forcibly suppressed. The four injured men were taken to the lespital.

door Features.

SCARLET FEVER EPIDEMIC

chools Closed for Remainder of This Week--Fumigation Ordered.

Boston. Feb. 22.—Commander tobert E. Peary's North pole dogs, ve of the lot that helped pull the ledges on the last expedition, were ne exhibit that attracted the great-

Cabled Paragraphs.

Reykjavík, Iceland, Feb. 22.—An avanche has overwhelmed Hulfsdal n Isa flord, 28 persons being killed.

Havana, Feb. 22.—President Gomez today signed the bill which was passed by the senate yesterday granting amnesty to the three editors who were imprisoned recently on the charges of having libeled the president.

London, Feb. 22.—Arthur Fraser Walter, 64 years old, who at one time was chief proprietor of the London Times and more recently chairman of the board of directors of the company which purchased the paper, died tonight at his home, Bearwood, Wokingham. He had been ill for some days with influenza.

Rome, Feb. 22.—The pope has appointed the Rev. J. W. Hendrick of Ovid, N. Y., brother of the late Bishop T. A. Hendrick, bishop of Cebu, a domestic prelate, which carries with it the title of monsignor. The brief announcing the appointment describes Mgr. Hendrick's church work, especially in the Pallimnias

NEGOTIATIONS BROKEN UP. mpany Declines to Accede to De-

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 22.—The two owerful rallroad labor organizations— he Order of Rallroad Conductors and he Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen me Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen
—which have undertaken to secure a
general increase of the wase scale for
all employes in those branches of the
service on the principal lines in the
castern part of the United States and
in Canada, have suffered repulse at the
very inauguration of its better pay
campaign Fifteen policemen quartered in the barn of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company at Ridge avenue and York street narrowly escaped death tonight when the entire northwest corner of the building was blown away with dynamite. The explosion occurred just as C. O. Pratt was about to address a meeting of carmen at a hall at Ridge avenue and Dauphin street. This building, as well as others in the vicinity, was shaken by, the shock of the explosion. How the dynamite was placed in the car barn is a mystery.

The State Fencibles Withdrawn.

The State Fencibles after being harassed and beaten all day by a mob of thousands of strike sympathizers along Lenigh avenue were withdrawn at nightfall.

clined to accede to the demands of the organization.

A strike is believed to be imminent, but this action rests with the rank and file of the trainmen of the system, some 8,000 in number, who will be polled at once, a task which will consume about ten days.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 22.—The negotiations betwen the railroad men employed on the system and General Manager Samuel Higgins, of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, over the wage and time schedules, which have been in progress for several days, still continue, and the prospects are for a continuance extending through another week. Vice President Sims of the trainmen's order is in charge of the conferences on the part of the men.

This afternoon neither officer would comment on the action of the committee of the Baltimore and Chlo men, except that Presidents Lee and Garretson whe looking after the negotiations on that road.

New Haven, Feb. 22.—It is understood here that General Manager Samuel Higgins of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad will give an answer tomorrow to the demands of the conductors and trainmen who

Greenwich, Conn., Feb. 22.—Charles Melelo took an axe to resent statements which he sald had been made about his daughter, 18 years old, by Anthony Speradino. The latter defended himself with a long knife.

When the two men were sparated surgeons found that Melelo's axe had cut through a heavy cap Speradino wore and had inflicted a severe scalp wound. Speradino had used his knife to such advantage that the hand with which Melelo held his axe was badly cut. The men quit fighting because each was exhausted. When the neighbors and the police rushed between them they were lying on the ground making a last effort to reach the other with their weapons.

There was more formality to the fight than usually attends encounters of this sort. Melelo, hearing that his daughter had been discussed by young Speradino, sent word to the latter that he wished to see him. Speradino responded. Neither man will die, but each of them has had a narrow escape.

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House Passed Indian Appropriation Bill-Washington's Farewell Ad-

after May 1 in any place where women congregate."

This order came as a bombshell. The effect, overshadowing that of Mayor Busse's order forbidding resort proprietors to sell intoxicants without a city license was to electrify the south and west side "levees." In giving his orders to the inspectors, Chief Steward said:

"Not only are you to stop the sale of intoxicants in resorts which have no city license, but under no circumstances are you to permit the sale of liquor in saloons, concert halls, or cafes where women are permitted to congregate."

Police officers predict that there will be an exodus of 15,000 men and women. Washington, Feb. 22.—The house to-day concluded consideration of the Indian appropriation bill, which it passed practically in the form recommended by the committee on Indian affairs. The bill carried appropriations aggregating about eight and a quarter millions of dollars.

Late in the session today the house began consideration of the postoffice appropriation bill.

The senate was not ready to take up any pending business and adjourned today after hearing the reading of Washington's farewell address and passing a few bills of minor importance.

mage on Yale Campus.

New Haven, Feb. 22.—In a downpour of rain and upon a muddy campus, the freshmen and sophomores at Fale fought out their annual Washington's birthday fence rush after chapel today. This year's event, as in the two years preceding, was in charge of the "Y" men in the senior class, the judges, headed by Captain Ed Coy, to start it and to stop it by signal and then to make a decision.

The freshmen man by the decision, although after the rush atopped the family question. Oscar Darling became recently the proud father of his and caneless sophomores did the cheering under the idea that they had held the fence. The crowd of should be praised. Now comes Daniel J. Bulger of Flushing, L. I, who says that Aside from many bloody noses and out the conclothing there were few features.

The rain prevented the taking of plut the proud father of his potteres, which college men in after years prize as mementos of a battle.

Widely Known Musical Composer

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Halifax, N. S., Feb. 22.—On a transtation of the White House nor at Oyster Bay, Long Island, New York Feb. 22.—Although Theodore Vogesen put in here today, disabled. The Vogeser sale from Bremen for Savannah on January 27, with a cargo of mineral salt. During her trip across should be praised. Now comes Daniel J. Bulger for Flushing, L. I, who says that while he has only 22 children to his score, he has had only one wife, years prize as mementos of a battle.

The Bulgers were married 29 years and to the amount of \$2,000 in gold has been from the start of the start peritarity here for months observed that he to the start peritarity here for months observed the start peritarity her

'Frisco Geta Johnson-Jeffries Fight.
San Francisco, Feb. 22.—The fortyfive round championship battle on July
4th between James J. Jeffries and Jack
Johnson for a purse of \$101,000 will be
fought in San Francisco. This announcement was made late tonight following a conference between Tex Rickerd and Ed Graney, Supervisor John
L. Herget, Sam Fitzpatrick and Jim
Griffin.

Gluttonous Soup Drinking Charge.

Detroit Feb. 23.—Thomas Ryerson, who has just completed a 90-day sentence in the Detroit house of correction for assault, appeared in police court yesterday charged with drinking twenty-five gallons of soup at McGregor mission on Saturday night.

Ryerson denied the charge, but was

Cornell Seniors In Ithaca Court

THREE MEN, ALL PROMINENT IN UNIVERSITY CIRCLES,

HELD UNDER \$500 BAIL EACH,

Them from a Student Resort.

IRISH PARTY TO HOLD ALOOF, THEIR STAND IN PARLIAMENT. Playing For.

London, Feb. 22.—The political at-nosphere continued heavy when par-ament reassembled this afternoon, liament reassembled this afternoon, but a ray of hope appeared with the announcement that the nationalists, at a meeting earlier in the day, had decided not to move an amendment to the address in reply to the speech from the throne. The text of the nationalist resolution follows:

"Resolved, That, having regard for the supreme importance of the constitutional struggle going on between the two houses of parliament and being convinced that the primary business of this parliament was to act on the mandate given in the general election, and proceed, forthwith, to limit the

CLEVELAND DOCTOR USED QUART BOTTLE AS WEAPON

Thrashed Two Highwaymen and Then

Cleveland, Feb. 22.—Using a quart bottle as his weapon, Dr. B. E. Sager last night thrashed two highwaymen and arrested one of them. This man,

added his own indictment of the series.

When one of the two robbers thrust his revolver under Dr. Sager's nose, at Hough avenue and East Elghtysecond street, the physician hit him on the head and knocked him out. The second highwayman shot at the doctor and struck him with a blackjack, but was beaten off with blows from the bottle. When the police arrived, Dr. Sager was seated on the first highwayman, dressing the wound he himself had inflicted.

LEROY PERCY CHOSEN

Jackson, Miss., Feb. 22.—Leroy Percy of Greenville, lawyer and planter, tonight was chosen United States sentator from Mississippi, to succeed the late Senator A. J. McLaurin and to serve during the three years of his unexpired term. He had a majority of five votes in joint legislative caucus over former Gov. James S. K. Vardaman. The result came on the fifty-eighth ballot of the caucus and was brought about through a process of elimination terminating a deadlock which had prevailed seven weeks.

When the caucus met tonight, withdrawals of the several candidates having the fewer votes came fast. Congressman Adam Byrd. John Kyle and H. H. Street followed each other out, and the struggled narrowe to the two leading contestants.

The votes controlled by those candidates who withdrew went almost solidly to Percy, giving his \$7 votes to \$2 for Vardaman on the first ballot.

Guadalajara, Mex., Feb. 22.—Bond to the amount of \$2,000 in gold has been furnished for James A. Cook, the American conductor who has been in the state penitentiary here for months charged with criminal carelessness in connection with freight train robber-

\$100,000 Fire in Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 22.—Fire, which started with two explosions early this morning, destroyed the structure on West Water street occupied by the Milwaukee Department store. The loss is estimated at \$100,009.

Wm. Seyler Faces **Murder Charge**

STATEMENT BY ATLANTIC CITY PROSECUTOR.

MILLION DOLLAR PIER CRIME.

day at Coroner's Inquiry to Prevent Demonstration Against Pris

BY FORMER PARTNER.

Victim Was Recently Released fro Atlanta Federal Prison.

ran a furnished room house in Wililamsburg.

One of the lodgers, Anderson by
name, was a friend of Barnes, who in
the last few weeks had quarreled with
Leonard more than once. This morning the doorbell rang and Barnes called for Anderson. Mrs. Leonard, according to the police, said:

"My husband got up, but only opened
the door a little way. Anderson was in
the hall with Barnes. As soon as the
door had closed there were four shots
and my husband staggered back into
the room.

he fell on the bed."
Patronam Barrett was passing the house and heard the shots. Barnes ran abut deeded and the officer on a chose toward the Williamsburg bridge. When they reached the plaza, a block away, Barnes ran around a number of stalled cars and dashed for the north roadway of the bridge.

Two other policemen joined in the pursuit. Barrett overtook his man, who put up a fight, striking at him with the butt of his revolver. On the way to the police station he said he was till and demanded to be taken to the hospital, but the officers thought he was ill and demanded to be taken to the hospital, but the officers thought he was not ill at all and suspected a scheme to escape. Besides the revolver, the prisoner had an electric flash. Ight, a fuse, cartridges and copper caps which the police said were used in dynamitting safes.

NEW "WHITE SLAVE" FACTS.

Paterson, N. J., Feb. 22.—In their hint for a young woman who was formerly amployed in a store on Main street, but who disappeared, taking with her a diamond ring. Detectives the was in the house in twest Pitteenth street. Manhattan, several young women, all of whom are alleged to have been taken from this city to the house by two Paterson men. The ring was in the house, and the ring was recovered, the police say.

An investigation, made by the detectives, showed that traffic in Paterson, young women had been going on here for some time, the victims being taken.

Annual Meeting of Connecticut Rural Free Delivery Carriers.

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New Haven, Feb. 22.—At the annual meeting of the Rural Free Delivery Mail Carriers of the state here today, the following officers were elected: President, H. P. Gugg of Bridgeport: vice president, J. T. O'Keefe of Middletown; and secretary treasurer, J. E. Woodruff, Berlin, The president and secretary were appointed delegates to the national convention in Little Rock, Ark., in September.

Bennington, Vt., Feb. 22.—A Masonic temple and land for its local lodge were presented tonight to Temple chapter, Royal Arch Masons, at its centennial anniversary exercises. The temple is to be erected from a gift of \$20,000 by Col. Olin Scott of Bennington. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Norton, also of this city, gave the land.

At Beyrout, Feb. 22: Arabic, from New York.
At London Feb. 21: Minnewaska, from New York.
At Villefranche, Feb. 21: Cincinnati, from New York.
At Naples, Feb. 18: Lusiana, from New York.
At Tunis, Feb. 18: Gallia, from New York.

World's Tenpin Record.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 22.—Larry Sutton, who won the individual championship at the last American bowling congress, established what is believed to be a world's tenpin record tonight by averaging 251 for nine games. His scores were 252, 275, 199, 234, 255, 246, 245, 272.

Manchester, N. H., Feb. 22.—Fighting Dick Nelson of New York knocked out Arthur Cote of Biddeford, Me., in the sixth round of a scheduled fifteen round bout tonight. The fighting was even

Condensed Telegrams

The Duke of Talleyrand, father-i

One-third of the Residents of Dale bunty, Ala., are affected with hook-

Clay Clement, the actor-drainatis and short story writer, died suddenly a Kansas City, Mo.

Rival Claimants Have Spent \$200,000 n litigation over the \$750,000 estate eft by Daniel Russell of Massachu-

The American Red Cross has cabled \$5,000 more, making the total contribution of the society to the French flood relief fund \$40,000. The Interstate Commerce Commission

Thieves, Burglars and porchelimbers whose carnival of crime at Pittsburghas continued more than a week, are extending their operations, and within the past 48 hours seven daring hold-ups, and burglaries have been report-

A Sequel to the Sensational Killing of former Senator Arthur L. Brown in Washington, D. C., began in the district court of Salt Lake in an action by which Mrs. Anna M. Bradley seeks to have her two children declared legal

SUPREME COURT SHALLERS in Estate of Late Benjamin F. Olm

washington, Feb. 22.—In holding that John Olmsted and William H. Olmsted are not entitled to share in valuable property in New York belonging to the estate of their late father, Benjamin F. Olmsted, a shattered romance of the "fifties" is recalled by the supreme court of the United States.

Scotia Miners.

Sydney, N. S., Feb. 22.—The heaviest sentences ever imposed in similar cases in this province, were dealt out today to half a hundred miners, who were found guilty of inciting riot and unlawful assembly in the Cape Breton coal fields, where 3,000 members of the United Mine Workers of America are on strike. Five leaders were sentenced to two years each in Dorchester penitentiary: five others, received six months each in jall and the remaining forty were fined an average of \$30 each, with an alternative penalty of two months in jail. Justice Lawrence of the supreme court sentenced the prisoners. tenced the prisoners.

washington, Feb. 22.—A probable solution of the vexed question regarding the making of returns of net incomes by corporations, under the corporation tax law, is supplied in a joint resolution introduced in the house today by Representative Moon (republican) of Pennsylvania, proposing to extend the time of making such returns to May 1, 1910.

Washington's Birthday Spread for New York Newsboys.

New York Newsboys.

New York, Feb. 22.—Through the generosity of Mrs. Randolph Guggenheimer 2,000 newsboys of Greater New York dined royally this afternoon at a Washingtoh's birthday spread in the newsboys' lodging house. After the spread, which included turkey and the "trinmings" each boy received a small American flag and a pair of warm

Third Smallpox Death on Cruiser,
Port Townsend, Wash, Feb. 22.—
Michael Ropinski, a coal passer on the
armored cruiser Washington, died of
smallpox at the Diamond Point quarantine station yesterday. His home
was in Wisconsin. This is the third
death from smallpox among the
Wasnington's crew since she arrived
from Honolulu list Tuesday. Four

PRESIDEN, JAFT IN NEW YORK

Guest of Honor at Banquet of the Metropolitan Police Lieutenants.

DINNER AT WALDORF GRAND BALL ROOM

Large Gathering of Men Prominent in Municipal, Political and Police Affairs-President Warmly Praises Captain Flynn of the Secret Service for Good Work Done in Rounding Up Counterfeiters.

New York, Feb. 22.—President Taft came to New York today for the second time within ten days. On February 12 he came to honor the memory of Abraham Lincoln; this time as the twenty-seventh president he came to honor the memory of the first, George Washington.

Police Banquet at Waldorf-Astoria into of Greater New York cheere President Taft tonight as he appears to the forety them at the Waldorf-Astoria, late and almost informal arrival at the fourth annual banquet. He had previously attended and delivered an additional control of the first of the fourth annual banquet. He had previously attended and delivered an additional control of the first of the fourth annual banquet.

Arrival at Jersey City. Arrival at Jersey City.

Arriving in Jersey City, the president was surrounded by a hollow square of policemen and secret service men, which gave first impression that undue measures of protection were being taken. That there was nothing in the air, aside from exaggerated Jersey City courtesy, was made plain, however, when the party reached Manhattan. Three mounted policemen led the automobile from the boat and galloped in front of it, clearing the way to the home of the president's brother, Henry W. Tart, where the president was left alone with relatives until banquet time.

Magnificent Piece of Work When at Jersey City President Taft spied Captain Flynn of the secret service be warmly shook hands with him and remarked: work you and your men did, captain, in rounding up and sending to prison the Larpo gang of counterfeiters."

He was referring to the conviction here last Saturday of eight Italian counterfeiters, also suspected of being leaders of the Black Hand.

I AM A DEMOCRAT, PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE." Says Chairman Conners-"Not Votes Enough to Put Me Out."

New York, Feb. 22.—William J. Couners, chairman of the democratic state committee, on the eve, of his de-

state committee, on the eve, of his departure for Albany tomorrow, made a few emphatic predictions today in regard to his chances for retaining the state chairmanship after the meeting on Thursday at which his opponents hope to oust him.

"The opposition has not votes enough to put me out," said Mr. Conners, "I shall remain chairman and go back south well pleased after this little affair is over."

He reasserted that the Kings county committeemen would hot all vote at the direction of Charles F. Murphy.

"The Murphy crowd has been mak-

them to start a row at this time when the chances for success are bet-ter than ever before. The democratic party in this state is too big to become party in this state is too big to become
the asset of any one man or group
of men. It is not the place for Murphy, or Mr. Conners either, to put obstacles in the way of party success
at this time." The state chairman intimated that he did not believe the
opposition would persist in forcing the
issue at the Albany meeting.

Asked if, in case he should meet
defeat, he would throw his influence
with the Hearst forces in an effort to

defeat, he would throw his influence with the Hearst forces in an effort to block the success of Murphy and Murphy's friends, Conners said:

"I am a democrat, past, present and future, whatever happens."

The American will say tomorrow that Charles F, Murphy and lieutenants will go to Albany tomorrow afternoon, where Murphy will assume personal charge of the fight against Conners. It is said that Murphy sent an envoy to Conners this afternoon to urge him to refire gracefully for the party's sake, but that Conners refused to receive him.

THE TROJAN HORSE OF HARVARD

Chicago, Feb. 22.—At the annual dinner of the Harvard club of Chicago last night at the University club Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief chemist of the department of agriculture, argued for co-education and for the recognition of woman's rights.

"What are we going to do with the women, anyhow?" he asked. "They are the Trojan horse of the university, and some day they will scale her walls and enter.

"The women will not be denied. They same day will do the voting, and why should they not? We have no time to stop and argue with them. There is no argument. We had better quit now and let them have their rights. Harvard recognizes the fact that woman is a human heing and deserving of an education on an equality with man."

The following officers were elected: President, George Rudolph, Meriden; vice president, Thomas A. McCloskey, and the substitute of a substitute of a substitute of a substitute

Kansas City, Feb. 22.—To the courage of Carrie Montgomery, a 17 year old girl, is due the capture of the highwaymen who yesterday assailed her father, Joseph Montgomery, and robbed him of \$60.

From the window of her home on the outskirts of this city Miss Montgomery saw her father struck down. Rushing from the house, she pursued the robbers. They turned on her and felled her with a blow. She was threatened with death if she persisted in following them. Unfrightened, the girl resumed the chase until detectives who had been notified overtook her, took up, the pursuit and captured the rob-

New York.

New York Feb. 22.—John R. Early, former United States infantryman, whom the health authorities at Washington and many physicians have branded as a leper, is destitute in this city, with no means of supporting his wife and two children. Dr. L. Duncan Beikley of the New York Skin and Cancer hospital, who has stood by the autfortunate man throughout the controversy, said tonight that Early's condition was nightly.

Invited, But Not Present Although Mayor Gaynor had been invited to attend the dinner, he was not present. Police Commissioner Baker also was absent.

The dinner was held in the grand ball room, but the Astor gallery was also called into service. Many prominent women looked on from the galleries and boxes.

Truly remarkable was the recept American fings. Is a moment more the room was filled with the shrill noise of their police whistles. Then the Star Spangled Banner was sung and later America.

KRITCHMAN MURDER TRIAL DELAYED BY SICK JUROR Case Goes Over to Next Week-Sophi

Disappointed. journed the taking of evidence before the jury until next Monday. The court, however, took up the case where it was left off on Friday last. Sophie Kritchman felt badly today upon being in samed that the trial had been delayed.

Both defendants were brought up from the jall at New Haven, arriving just before court opened.

FOURTEEN CHINAMEN

HIDDEN IN BOX CAR

Los Angeles Officers Investigate. Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 22.—Four-teen Chinamen were found last night in a box car on the Southern Pacino tracks. The car was billed "Lam-ber" and had come from Memphis. Tenn., destined for San Francisco. It is believed by an immigration inspec-tor, W. A. Hutchins, who made the discovery, that the Chinamen got in-to the car at El Paso. Shortly after the disclosure, Thomas

A. Montez was arrested as he was about to take a train for El Paso. The Chinese were amply supplied with food and water. They are held here pending an investigation by immigration officers.

STATE LETTER CARRIERS IN CONVENTION AT DANBURY.

Election of Officers. Danbury, Conn., Feb. 22.—Two hundred letter carriers of the state, of whom 125 were delegates, met in annual convention here today, arriving on a special train. The day sessions were followed by a banquet tonight. Among the things talked of at the business session was the superannuation of carriers.

The following officers were elected. President, George Rudolph, Meriden; vice president, Thomas A. McCloskey, Danbury; secretary, Arthur Howard, Bridgeport, and treasurer, David Saunders, New Haven.

On account of the severe weather the Mauretania was six hours sate in unit-ing from Queenstown on Sunday and later was unable to drop her local pilot. This probably gave rise to the rumor of an accident which was published in a portion of the press of this country today.

Inventors Injured White Experimenting
Boston, Feb. 22.—Visions of a modden fortune were shattered along the
interior of a kitchen at 38 Payston
street Roxbury, tonight, when Charles
Diamond, aged 63 years, and Atkins
Sayles, aged 59 years, were injured in
an explosion resulting from their attempts to "cook" a new washing powder of their awn, invention on the
kitchen range. The fire department
saved the house and the ambulances
took the men to the city hospital, where
they are in a serious condition. Both
men are traveling salesmen.

by the President.

Washington, Feb. 21.—President Taft has given full official endorsement to the court injunction bill presented in the house by Representative Moss (republican) of Pennsylvania, chairman of the house committee on the revision of laws. The president has addressed Mr. Moon a letter on the subject to that effect.